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<i>OO</i>	AA	2,071,215	2/37	Petersen	128	28	
	AB	2,699,163	1/55	Engstrom	128	29	
	AC	2,754,817	7/56	Nemeth	128	60	
	AD	3,777,744	12/73	Fryfogle	128	28	
	AE	2,853,998	9/58	Emerson	128	30	
	AF	2,899,955	8/59	Huxley, III et al.	128	30	
	AG	3,042,024	7/62	Mendelson	128	30	
	AH	3,120,228	2/64	Huxley III	128	30	
	AI	3,368,550	2/68	Glascok	128	2	
	AJ	3,461,860	8/69	Barkalow et al.	128	53	
<i>AK</i>	AK	3,481,327	12/69	Drennen	128	30.2	

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<i>AL</i>	AA	5,217,010	6/93	Tsitlik et al.	128	419PG	
	AB	5,222,478	6/93	Scarberry et al.	128	30.2	
	AC	4,770,164	9/88	Lach et al.	128	28	
	AD	5,257,619	11/93	Everete	128	28	
	AE	5,277,194	1/94	Hosterman et al.	128	721	
	AF	5,295,481	3/94	Geeham	601	43	
	AG	5,327,887	7/04	Nowakowski	128	204.21	
	AH	5,359,999	11/94	Kinsman	128	204.21	
	AI	5,399,148	3/95	Waide et al.	601	41	
	AJ	5,405,362	4/95	Kramer	607	5	
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GR	AA	5,474,533	12/95	Ward et al.	604	26	
	AB	5,490,820	2/96	Schock et al.	601	41	
	AC	5,738,637	4/98	Kelly et al.	601	41	
	AD	5,630,789	5/97	Schock et al.	601	41	
	AE	5,370,603	12/94	Newman	601	41	
	AF	5,664,563	9/97	Schroeder et al.	128	204.25	
	AG	2,486,667	11/49	Meister	128	28	
	AH	5,372,487	12/94	Pekar	417	480	
	AI	6,066,106	5/00	Sherman et al.	601	41	
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